HOUSE No. 837

By Mr. DeLeo of Winthrop, petition of Robert A. DeLeo relative to penalties for defacement of public property. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO PENALTIES FOR DEFACEMENT OF PUBLIC PROPERTY.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- 1 Section 126 of chapter 266 of the General Laws, as appearing
- 2 in the 2002 Official Edition, is hereby amended in line 9 by
- 3 striking out the words, "ten nor more than one hundred dollars"
- 4 and inserting in place thereof the words:-
- 5 "fifty nor more than fifteen hundred dollars or by imprisonment
- 6 in a house of correction for not more than two years or combina-
- 7 tion thereof."